

## Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 STATE 013724  
ORIGIN NODS-00

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 /001 R

DRAFTED BY P:PCHABIB:JNP  
APPROVED BY P:PCHABIB  
ARA:WLUERS  
S/S:AWOTTO

-----210031Z 121429 /61

O 210021Z JAN 77 ZFF4  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE IMMEDIATE

S E C R E T STATE 013724

NODIS  
-STADIS FOR ANBASSADOR TODMAN FROM HABIB//////////

E.O. 11652: X-GDS-L

TAGS: PFOR, PN, CS

SUBJECT: YOUR MEETING WITH PANAMANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER BOYD

REF: SAN JOSE 0247

1. I HAVE DISCUSSED YOUR MEETING WITH BOYD WITH MR. VANCE.  
IT WOULD BE PREFERABLE IF YOU COULD AVOID SUCH A MEETING  
PRIOR TO OUR HAVING REVIEWED OUR PANAMA POLICY HERE AND  
BEFORE THE MEETING SCHEDULED IN WASHINGTON WITH BOYD  
ON JANUARY 31.

2. IF IT TURNS OUT THAT THERE IS NO WAY FOR YOU TO AVOID  
THE MEETING, WHICH WE ARE CONCERNED BOYD MAY SEEK TO  
EXPLOIT, YOU SHOULD GO AHEAD BUT MAKE IT CLEAR THAT YOU  
ARE THERE TO LISTEN WITHOUT ANY COMMITMENT OR SUBSTANTIVE  
COMMENT.

SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 STATE 013724

HABIB

SECRET

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** INSTRUCTIONS, DIPLOMATIC MEETING, FOREIGN POLICY POSITION, DIPLOMATIC DISCUSSIONS, CAT-A  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 21-Jan-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Decaption Note:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977STATE013724  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** PCHABIB:JNP  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** X1  
**Errors:** n/a  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** P840070-0457, P800020-1644  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** STATE  
**Handling Restrictions:**  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1977/newtext/t19770129/aaaaazcs.tel  
**Line Count:** 56  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** 76d2b7d2-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ORIGIN NODS  
**Original Classification:** SECRET  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** STADIS  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** SECRET  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** NODIS, STADIS  
**Reference:** 77 SAN JOSE 247  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 11-Jan-2005 12:00:00 am  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 3534412  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** <DBA CHANGED> GWR 20040428; <DBA CHANGED> GWR 20040503  
**Subject:** YOUR MEETING WITH PANAMANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER BOYD  
**TAGS:** PFOR, PREL, PN, CS, US, (VANCE, CYRUS R), (BOYD GUARDIA, AQUILINO EDGARDO)  
**To:** SAN JOSE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkvgwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/76d2b7d2-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
22 May 2009  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009